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## THE OZARKS

Despite the fact that the truth about the Ozark region has been published times without number, it is still true that there are today tens of thousands of American citizens of average intelligence and information who conceive of the Ozarks as a chaotic region of jagged mountain peaks, and narrow sterile valleys. A veritable wilderness of rocks and sand. The stock question in thousand of letters from land seekers are astonishing proof of the correctness of the old adage: "A lie will travel a league, while the truth is putting on its boots!"

As a result of this widespread misconception tens of thousands of men have rushed through the Ozarks in the night, to locate in the drouth-cursed, wind swept, grasshopper bitten, regions of the remote West and Southwest. Some, a great number in the aggregate, of these people have by dint of money and energy made good in the localities to which they went, but they could have shown twice the results at half the expenditure of time, money and effort, if they had taken time to stop in the Ozarks, and seen the "Mountains" sink into mole hills under their gaze.

And with those who have succeeded in these far places are as many others who staked their all in the effort to win a home, and lost.

What, then, are the Ozarks? Take any good map of the state of Missouri and set the point of a lead pencil about midway of the east line of Perry county, as formed by the Mississippi River. From that point draw a line in a direction generally to the west, although it turns to every point of the compass, carefully avoid the headwaters of the streams as laid down on your map.

Continue this line until you cross the west line of the state and you will find that you have marked a trail by which, barring artificial obstacles, a man can pass entirely across Missouri without having to ford a river or creek, or even as much as a rippling "spring branch." Incidentally, if you choose to do so, you could continue with your pencil throughout the entire length of the state of Kansas and into Colorado until you run into the Rockies.

In Missouri this line would indicate the center of a water shed varying greatly in width. At some points as at Cedar Gap on the line between Wright and Webster counties it is contracted to a narrow ridge, while more frequently it is the central line of gentle rolling plateaus.

To the north of the line indicated the drainage is through various tributaries into the Missouri. To the south the waters flow into White River. The only exceptions to the rule are in the extreme east, where, on the north, a few streams flow into the Meramec, and on the south into Black River or its feeders. In the extreme southwestern part of the region another small area drains into Spring River and thence into the Arkansas.

Now let us take our map and pencil again. Start almost anywhere along the line already laid out and strike off north or south as you please. Avoid as before the headwaters of the streams as shown on the map. You will find that some of your lines will indicate but a few miles in length; others will wind around for forty or fifty miles, but long or short, they will end by descending into some valley of a stream, or they

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terminate in a bold limestone bluff overhanging some river.

There are hundreds of these laterals branching off from the main central line, or divide, and each of them has in turn its own system of laterals also. In many places these "divides," or ridges spread out into wide areas of fertile land, with hardly more than slope enough to furnish drainage. These areas are found both in timber lands and prairies. They form the vast bulk of the whole Ozark territory. In a word, they are "The Ozark Plateaus" of which we have all heard.

Interlaced among these various uplands are an equal number of valleys, a valley for every lateral of them all. And as the lateral plateaus are broadest at the point where they leave the main center, so the valleys are narrower at their beginnings and grow wider as they are followed.

Down every one of these will be found a strip a mere ribbon at first, of rich soil, which grows broader and broader until after many a turn and twist it merges

## "Clean Up the Bowels and Keep Them Clean"

There are many remedies to be had for constipation, but the difficulty is to procure one that acts without violence. A remedy that does not perform by force what should be accomplished by persuasion is Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets. After using them, Mr. N. A. Waddell, 315 Washington St., Waco, Tex., says: "Almost all my life I have been troubled with constipation, and have tried many remedies, all of which seemed to cause pain without giving much relief. I finally tried Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets and found them excellent. Their action is pleasant and mild, and their chocolate taste makes them easy to take. I am more than glad to recommend them."

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into some wider valley, or the rich bottom land along some stream. Many of these valleys widen into cup-like depressions, where sheltered from every wind that blows, nestles many a little farm house as nearly idyllic in its location as any the world can show.

And the bottom lands along the Ozark streams are as rich as may be found even in the bottomless soils along the great central rivers of the land. Some of them upon the larger streams widen out their acres like a piece of prairie land set down here among the hills; along the smaller streams these bottom lands are apt to be cut by the stream into small and irregularly shaped tracts, but small or great, rich as the valley of the Nile itself. It was these alluvial lands that the first settlers coming from the Tennessee mountains nearly a century ago eagerly seized upon on which to found their new homes.

To return to the plateaus. If you could take a bird's eye of the Ozark region as I have tried to depict it, you would see here and there, rising out of the network of upland and valley, hill tops, isolated most of them, 500 or 600 feet in height above the valleys at their feet. Toward the southwestern part of the region these are more numerous.

Another striking natural feature of the region is the system of natural roads. Along the narrower of the various plateaus, or divides, are found the "ridge roads" of the Ozarks. Here the flint, or, as geologists call it, the "chert," of the region has passed through some natural process of crushing which has reduced it to finely shattered fragments. These under the pelting rains of ages have been cleansed of every taint of soil and compacted together into that which we of the Ozarks call "flint pack."

Rain cannot make such a road muddy, drouth cannot make it dusty. Smooth under your horse's hoof as the best park road, they wind through the hills

## THIS LADY'S GOOD APPETITE

Mrs. Hansen, in a Letter From Mobile, Tells How She Gained It.

Mobile, Ala.—"I suffered for seven years, with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Sigurd Hansen in a letter from this city. "I felt weak and always had a headache and was always going to the doctor. At last I was operated on, and felt better, but soon I had the same trouble."

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I have followed such a road for fifty miles through a hilly and broken country without going up or down hill. Unfortunately, nature neglected to have her engineer lay out her roads on straight lines, and these frequently go two or three miles to cover one mile of actual distance.

Another and wonderful important feature of the Ozarks is the water supply. Rare indeed it is to find one of these valleys of any size without its springs and its rippling spring-fed stream. Clear as crystal, pure as the dew, and as untainted as gravitation. And such springs as some of them are! In one narrow little valley of these hills pours forth the largest spring in the world. Three hundred feet wide a hundred yards below its exit and flowing 415,000,000 gallons of water every twenty hours! And from this marvel of nature, down to the little dripping spring along some hillside, the land is full of them.

With this unfailing supply of water is an equally unfailing natural pasturage. All over the woodlands the ground is covered with blue joint, and blue stem, and blue grass and Spanish clover. Even the the land that seems almost solid stone bears its crops. I have ridden across stony flats in the spring, before the growth had started and said

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to myself that it was impossible for a blade of grass to find its way through that sterile surface. And I have come the same way on horseback in August to find it a mat of thickest verdure and to feel the feathery heads of the blue stem tickling around my ears as I sat in the saddle.

This combination of pure and abundant water with unlimited pasturage spells success for dairying in the Ozarks and although the business is still in its veriest infancy, it is already taking on importance and foreshadowing what it will do in the future.

And all the other natural resources of these hills—too numerous even to mention in the limits of this article. It is indubitably true that there are more natural undeveloped resources in the Ozarks than in

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any other equal territory of the United States. Gradually the age-old indifference to and contempt for the region is being overcome by the mere force of the merits of the case.

"Money talks" and the material ready and begging to be turned into money, all through these sunny uplands, is daily becoming more and more assertive of its claims, and thus at last are the Ozarks coming into their own. —St. Louis Republic.

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and the size of silo needed to hold it can be quite closely calculated provided the number and kind of animals to be fed from it are known before building. An average cow or beef animal may be fed about 35 lbs. of silage per day and the usual period during which silage is used in this latitude will be about 210 days. Large animals or those that are being fattened may consume considerably more than 35 pounds per day, but this has been found a fair average.

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A silo 10 feet in diameter is adapted to feeding 10 mature cattle. One 12 feet in diameter will feed 15 head, and one 14 feet in diameter will meet the need at 20 head; but if there are 30 or more cows to feed, a 16 foot silo should be erected. These silos should be 30 or 40 feet, or even more in height.

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## The County Farm Adviser Proposition for the Counties of Missouri

By E. A. Cockeair, Farm Adviser of Greene County Agricultural Association

There are many honest men who object strongly to the county farm adviser proposition. Their main objections are:

1. Farmers do not want advice. They know better than anybody else how to run their own business.
2. People have enough taxes to pay without creating any more jobs for office seekers.
3. It is not just to tax all the people of a county for the benefit of one line of business.

There are many other minor objections some of them more or less well taken. Others are the product of prejudice and have no reasonable basis.

This article is not written to find fault or to combat the ideas of honest citizens. If county organization and farm advisers are not a success, that is if they do not actually increase and make more effective the farming industry of the county then they will fail and everyone ought to be glad of it including the farm adviser himself for the right kind of a farm adviser does not want to be a parasite and will not be one.

But the facts in the case of the experience of the 600 or 700 counties of the United States who have had county organization and farm advisers for the last 3 years point that not one of them has quit the business. Some have had to ask for the resignation of their farm advisers just as some school boards have to ask for the resignation of an occasional school teacher. A poor school teacher does not argue the incompetency of schools; neither does a poor farm adviser argue the incompetency of the county farmer organization movement.

Now as to objection: Number 1. It is not a farm adviser's business to go around telling people what to do. It is his business to go around and find out who is farming the best way or in better ways than most people are doing. Then he should let other folks know about it. It is his business to keep in touch with experiment stations and the Department of Agriculture. When anything of local value is discovered he is to let farmers know about that. No farmer knows everything, neither does the farm adviser, but if the farmer has a problem—sick soil, or a sick cow, or a new insect pest, it is the farm adviser's business to come out and help the farmer find a remedy.

Number two is a hard one to meet if one be an office seeker or one who hunts public support. The fact is that the jobs are hunting the farm advisers instead of the advisers seeking the job. The job calls for both training and experience in farming.

It calls for men with tact and men with business ability. It calls for men who have had some experience in public speaking and in teaching. A combination of all these qualifications is hard

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to find. The government is careful. It will not give this job to favorites. Finally the job of farm adviser is not a plum. Actual conservative figures show that farm advisers everywhere by their help to farmers return every year many times their salaries in the increase of crops and in the prevention of the spread of contagious diseases.

Number three needs no particular comment. People do not hesitate to pay out taxes to support schools even though they have no children to get the benefit. It is generally accepted that self supporting, law abiding, efficient citizens are sufficient reason for schools. So, too, it is generally accepted that the prosperity of the farmer is the prosperity of everybody who is willing to work. —The Advertiser, Springfield, Mo.

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